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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated June 29, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicants respectfully request entry of and reconsideration based on the instant amendment and reply because it is believed to place the application in condition for allowance or at the very least reduce the number of potential issues in an appeal.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: